

COMMERCIAL.

PRICES OF PRODUCE IN ALEXANDRIA.

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WHEAT, superfine, 100 lbs. 1.00	Do, extra, 100 lbs. 0.95
Do, Family, 100 lbs. 0.90	Do, No. 1, 100 lbs. 0.85
Do, No. 2, 100 lbs. 0.80	Do, No. 3, 100 lbs. 0.75
Do, No. 4, 100 lbs. 0.70	Do, No. 5, 100 lbs. 0.65
Do, No. 6, 100 lbs. 0.60	Do, No. 7, 100 lbs. 0.55
Do, No. 8, 100 lbs. 0.50	Do, No. 9, 100 lbs. 0.45
Do, No. 10, 100 lbs. 0.40	Do, No. 11, 100 lbs. 0.35
Do, No. 12, 100 lbs. 0.30	Do, No. 13, 100 lbs. 0.25
Do, No. 14, 100 lbs. 0.20	Do, No. 15, 100 lbs. 0.15
Do, No. 16, 100 lbs. 0.10	Do, No. 17, 100 lbs. 0.05
Do, No. 18, 100 lbs. 0.00	Do, No. 19, 100 lbs. 0.00
Do, No. 20, 100 lbs. 0.00	Do, No. 21, 100 lbs. 0.00
Do, No. 22, 100 lbs. 0.00	Do, No. 23, 100 lbs. 0.00
Do, No. 24, 100 lbs. 0.00	Do, No. 25, 100 lbs. 0.00
Do, No. 26, 100 lbs. 0.00	Do, No. 27, 100 lbs. 0.00
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Do, No. 30, 100 lbs. 0.00	Do, No. 31, 100 lbs. 0.00
Do, No. 32, 100 lbs. 0.00	Do, No. 33, 100 lbs. 0.00
Do, No. 34, 100 lbs. 0.00	Do, No. 35, 100 lbs. 0.00
Do, No. 36, 100 lbs. 0.00	Do, No. 37, 100 lbs. 0.00
Do, No. 38, 100 lbs. 0.00	Do, No. 39, 100 lbs. 0.00
Do, No. 40, 100 lbs. 0.00	Do, No. 41, 100 lbs. 0.00
Do, No. 42, 100 lbs. 0.00	Do, No. 43, 100 lbs. 0.00
Do, No. 44, 100 lbs. 0.00	Do, No. 45, 100 lbs. 0.00
Do, No. 46, 100 lbs. 0.00	Do, No. 47, 100 lbs. 0.00
Do, No. 48, 100 lbs. 0.00	Do, No. 49, 100 lbs. 0.00
Do, No. 50, 100 lbs. 0.00	Do, No. 51, 100 lbs. 0.00
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Do, No. 64, 100 lbs. 0.00	Do, No. 65, 100 lbs. 0.00
Do, No. 66, 100 lbs. 0.00	Do, No. 67, 100 lbs. 0.00
Do, No. 68, 100 lbs. 0.00	Do, No. 69, 100 lbs. 0.00
Do, No. 70, 100 lbs. 0.00	Do, No. 71, 100 lbs. 0.00
Do, No. 72, 100 lbs. 0.00	Do, No. 73, 100 lbs. 0.00
Do, No. 74, 100 lbs. 0.00	Do, No. 75, 100 lbs. 0.00
Do, No. 76, 100 lbs. 0.00	Do, No. 77, 100 lbs. 0.00
Do, No. 78, 100 lbs. 0.00	Do, No. 79, 100 lbs. 0.00
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Do, No. 84, 100 lbs. 0.00	Do, No. 85, 100 lbs. 0.00
Do, No. 86, 100 lbs. 0.00	Do, No. 87, 100 lbs. 0.00
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Do, No. 94, 100 lbs. 0.00	Do, No. 95, 100 lbs. 0.00
Do, No. 96, 100 lbs. 0.00	Do, No. 97, 100 lbs. 0.00
Do, No. 98, 100 lbs. 0.00	Do, No. 99, 100 lbs. 0.00
Do, No. 100, 100 lbs. 0.00	Do, No. 101, 100 lbs. 0.00

The offerings on Change yesterday were fair, and the demand good. There were no sales of Flour reported, and our quotations remain unchanged. The quality of Wheat offered is poor. Sales of wheat at 80, 100, 103, and 107c; sold 88, 90, 100, and 101c. A lot of mixed, sold for 105c. The demand for Corn is active, with sales early in the day at 66c; later there were sales of common mixed at 62, 63c, 63c, (by measure). Oats dull at 32c. No sales of Rye reported.

Alexandria Fish Market, April 12.
The arrivals continue light, and the demand increasing. Sales of Shad at 81c per hundred. Herring \$10 per thousand. Bunch fish are in abundant supply, and of the finest quality.

The Markets.

April 12.—Flour is dull; Howard street and Ohio are nominal at \$4 3/4, and City Mills \$4 1/2. Wheat is dull, and generally unchanged; sale to prime red 103c/106c, and good to prime white 110c/120c. Corn is steady; yellow 62c/65c; white 63c/66c. Whiskey is steady at 21c/21 1/2c. Provisions closed with an upward tendency.

New York, April 12.—Flour is heavy; sales of 10,000 bbls., State \$4 1/2; Ohio \$4 1/2; \$4 1/2; Southern \$4 1/2; \$4 1/2. Wheat is quiet; sales of 9,000 bushels; Kentucky white 142c. Corn is about 5c lower; sales of 30,000 bushels; white 71c/75c; yellow 73c/74c. Beef is dull. Pork is dull—mess \$17 50; prime \$14 3/4; \$14 50. Lard is dull at 10c/10 1/2. Whiskey is steady at 21c/21 1/2c. Stocks are active and higher. Cumberland Coal Co. 18c. Mo. 6c 3/4.

Monetary.

There was considerable improvement in the stock market on Saturday, both here and at New York, the foreign news being interpreted favorably, in that it shows no further cause for anxiety of political difficulties in Europe. In the Baltimore market, Baltimore and Ohio Railroad sales, improving 1/4 per cent over previous cash sales, closing at 46, and closing with that bid—2 per cent over the closing bid of Friday. Northern Central Railroad sold at 4 1/2, better also, and closed firm, with increased transactions. Canton neglected. In City and State loans no change. Railroad bonds continue dull. Northern Central 1885 sold at 97 1/2 before. Bank currency is in demand. Money is unchanged, with a fair supply on call or first paper at 10 to 12 per cent.

Secretary Cobb invites proposals for the issue of any portion of the whole of five millions of dollars in treasury notes, in exchange for gold coin, under the act of December last.

The statement of the New York banks, made on Saturday, is expected to show an increase in the discount loans, and include some paper of a little longer dates than has previously passed, some decrease, but it cannot be very large, as the sub-treasury has disbursed nearly a million more than its receipts during the week, and it is not thought that the domestic drain can amount to that. Another installment from California will be due early in this week.

The advices by the America, in addition to a continued abundance of money in London, show an advance of 1/2 in Consols, which closed on the 26th of March at 97 1/2 for money, and 97 1/2 for account. Bar silver was quoted at 5 1/4, dollars 3 1/4, gold 76 3/4. Messrs. Baring Brothers report the market for American securities generally inactive.

The brokers at New York, following the example of those of Baltimore, are purchasing Southwestern bonds freely, in view of the proposed early redemption by those banks. Exchange at Chicago has receded to 1 1/2 per cent, at Cincinnati 1/2 and dull.

The steamers from New York on Saturday took \$100,000 in specie for Europe.—*Balt. Sun.*

To the Voters of Fauquier County.

FELLOW CITIZENS:—By the solicitation of many friends, I have consented to become a candidate for the office of Commissioner of the Revenue in the Northern District. I do not seek it as an office of honor, but only in a pecuniary point, and should it be the choice of the people to elect me, I will try to discharge the duties of the office efficiently and satisfactorily.

JOHN T. KEYS.

Salem, Fauquier county, Feb 5—eotE

To the Voters of Fauquier County.

FELLOW CITIZENS:—I am before you as a candidate for the Commissioner of the Revenue, for the Northern District, and respectfully ask your support.

JAMES ROWZEE.

Fauquier, Nov 19—eotE

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MARKHAM STATION, FAUQUIER CO., JAN 8—eotE

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FELLOW CITIZENS:—I am before you as a candidate for the Commissioner of the Revenue, for the Northern District, and respectfully ask your support.

H. JENNINGS, for re-election to the office of Clerk of the County Court of Fauquier County.

mh 13—eotE

PORTLAND SUGAR AND SYRUP.

BBLs. H. B. PORTLAND SYRUP 125 bbls. Yellow do. SUGAR 75 " A. do.

We are constantly receiving supplies of the above SUGARS and SYRUP, which we offer to the trade at Manufacturer's prices.

FOWLE & CO., Agents.

Portland Sugar Co.

LIVERPOOL SALT.

SACKS GROUND ALUM SALT 1000 SACKS FINE SALT. In store, and for sale, by FOWLE & CO.

Feb 25

TURKIS ISLAND SALT.

BUSHELS bright Turkis Island Salt, direct importation, for sale at low price, in lots to suit purchasers.

mh 24—eotE

FOR SALE.

CYPRESS SHINGLES.—The cargo of Schr. August Holley, now landing on the Foundry Wharf, mh 30—eotE. SMOOT, UHLER & CO.

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Confederation in the Woods and Fields.

Yesterday forenoon, while some workmen on the premises of Mr. James Wyman, residing near the old Middleburg Turnpike, in the Eastern section of the town, near the corner of Burlington and Woburn, were burning brush, during the high wind, the fire became unmanageable. It commenced running on the Western side of the turnpike, and spread rapidly in two or three directions, taking within five or six rods of the residence of Mr. Hammond Locke, it was stopped in its course by the North road leading from Lexington to Woburn, but again crossing the turnpike into the woods, and raged frightfully down the boundary line between Lexington and Woburn a distance of more than a mile. It was finally brought to a stand at Vine Brook, near the old Babcock place, which is situated between Zion's and Whipping Hills, in the Western part of Woburn.

In its most Eastern course the fire came near the village of Darenville, in Woburn, and for a time threatened the destruction of several houses. At the commencement, Mr. Wyman's new outcrops, which had been burnt by the fire, were in flames, and many of the valuable timber land and many cords of wood were burnt. There was a very lively time among the squirrels and rabbits. Large numbers were to be seen running for their lives, many of which must have been lost. The fire extended some two miles and is estimated to have burnt over six or seven hundred acres.—*Boston Journal.*

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1858.	SUN'S RISE.	MOON'S PHASES.
APRIL	5 31 28	13 Tuesday... 5 31 28
13 Tuesday...	5 31 28	14 Wednesday... 5 31 28
14 Wednesday...	5 31 28	15 Thursday... 5 31 28
15 Thursday...	5 31 28	16 Friday... 5 31 28
16 Friday...	5 31 28	17 Saturday... 5 31 28
17 Saturday...	5 31 28	18 Sunday... 5 31 28
18 Sunday...	5 31 28	19 Monday... 5 31 28

LATEST NEWS.

Mar. 24 [Havre]. Mar. 24 [Liverpool]. Mar. 24 [New Orleans].

PORT OF ALEXANDRIA—APRIL 12.

ARRIVED.

Schr. Fleetwood, Brk. Fall River, to Master. Steamer Columbia, Harper, Baltimore, to Wheat & Bro.

Sailed.

Schr. Pandora, Snow, Philadelphia, iron and flaxseed by Wheat & Bro.

MEMORANDA.

Brig Andover, Berry, from this port, and Sears-Vine, from Georgetown, D. C., arrived at Boston, 9th inst.

Schr. Trejo, Cook, from this port, arrived at New York, 9th inst.

Schr. Carr, Hammond, from Georgetown, D. C., J. Ireland, Stillman, from Wilmington, N. C.; Gallego, Smith, from Richmond, J. Sparks, Rogers, and Adella, Prescott, from this port, arrived at New York 10th inst.

Schr. Allen Middleton, Jr., Sipple, from Boston, for Washington, D. C., sailed from Holmes Hole 5th inst.

Schr. Enterprise, Rowe, from Georgetown, D. C., arrived at Portland, 8th inst.

Schr. Embark, Donoho, and Gray Eagle, Marks, for this port, d. d. at Philadelphia 10th inst.

ap 13—eotE

REWARD—MAYOR'S OFFICE.

\$200.—April 12, 1858.—In the name of the City Council of Alexandria, Va., I, W. D. Massey, Mayor, offer a reward of two hundred dollars, for the detection and conviction of the party or parties, who perpetrated the outrage upon the peace of the city, near the depot of the Alexandria and Washington Railroad Company, on the 28th of March, 1858.

W. D. MASSEY, Mayor.

[Washington Star and Sentinel—3t.]

NOTICE.—At the late meeting of the Directors of the Orange and Alexandria Railroad Company, it was ordered: "That the regulations of the Company respecting free travel, be rigidly carried out, and that the passing of any person free, without the exhibition of written authority from the Company, will be considered sufficient cause for the removal of the Conductor."

ap 13—eotE

NOTICE.—Stolen from my Stable, on Sunday night, April 4, a BAY MARE,

about sixteen hands high, with a white spot on each side of the neck, supposed to be made by the collar. Any person who will return her to me in Salem, Fauquier County, will be amply rewarded.

W. D. MADDOX.

Salem, Fauquier Co., Va., ap 13—eotE

ROCKBRIDGE ALUM WATER.—The

Water of these celebrated mineral springs is now kept constantly on the market in the hands of FISHER & WINSTON, Duggists, Richmond, Va., and A. B. RUCKER, Lynchburg. We have entirely discarded barrels, and now ship the Water only in glass. Cost per case of 1 dozen half gallon bottles, sealed and carefully packed for export, is \$1.00. By remitting to F. W. R. or to A. B. R., the purchaser may rely on their forwarding, per directions, 1 box of fresh and genuine ROCKBRIDGE ALUM WATER.

Pamphlets sent gratis on application.

ap 13—eotE

CARRIAGES! CARRIAGES! CARRIAGES!

I HAVE now on hand a large assortment of PLEASURE and FAMILY CARRIAGES, and no person intending to purchase a Carriage this season should fail to look at these before purchasing elsewhere, as they are such an asset to this side of New York. The Carriages are all warranted, and the prices correspond with the times.

Also, on hand a number of GOOD SECOND HAND CARRIAGES, some nearly new, and suitable for town or country.

THOMAS YOUNG.

No. 409, Pennsylvania Avenue, cor. of 13th St. Washington, ap 13—eotE

SPRING SUPPLY.—I have now received

my SPRING SUPPLY of STATIONARY Writing and Wrapping Papers, embracing every variety of quality and price, all bought at the lowest prices, and will be sold cheap. I have also on hand my usual assortment of SCHOOL BOOKS, embracing every thing that is needed for Colleges or Schools. The highest market price paid for RAGS.

ap 13

KEROSENE OIL LAMPS.—The subscribers

having been appointed Agents for the sale of KEROSENE OIL LAMPS in this city, respectfully call the attention of the public to them. As for safety and economy they are not to be excelled by any Lamp yet invented.

4 mo 3—eotE

R. H. MILLER, SON & CO.

50,000 FRUIT TREES FOR SALE

NURSERIES, situated on the Alexandria and Leesburg Turnpike, near Falls Church, Fairfax County, Va. All orders for Alexandria, Washington, and Georgetown, will be delivered. Printed catalogues sent to all who desire them.

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By Yesterday Evening's Mail.

AN OLD CHURCH DESTROYED.—The old brick church (Episcopal) at Cabin Point, Surrey county, was entirely destroyed by fire on Saturday last, the 8th inst. Some workmen had been engaged in repairing it at the time, and while they had gone to dinner, a heap of shavings caught fire from the stove, and communicated with the pews, and finally with the whole interior of the building. This church was erected in the old colonial times, by the British, and with the assistance of a periodical course of repairs, had succeeded in weathering the storms of more than a century. Some \$4,000 had within a short time been expended on it, and as stated above, workmen were already engaged in making further improvements. The entire loss amounts to about \$6,000.—*Pty. Exp.*

John C. Crawford, convicted a year or two

since in Wytheville, for breaking in a room and robbing a gentleman at Col. Boyd's Hotel, and sentenced to the penitentiary for five years, and who afterwards made his escape, was arrested in Morgan county, Ky., about two months ago. He had broken into a store in that county and stolen about \$150, and upon being arrested, stated that he had broken out of thirteen jails and two penitentiaries.

A heavy storm of rain and hail, accompanied by vivid lightning and thunder, passed over Petersburg on Saturday evening. Its duration was about fifty minutes. The Express says:—"During the prevalence of the storm a vivid flash of lightning, commencing apparently in the zenith and coursing down in a northerly direction, bore with it three huge balls of fire, similar to those bursting from a rocket, and presented one of the grandest phenomena we have ever witnessed."

The Nottoway river has been so much swollen of late as to prove considerably troublesome to the farmers residing along its banks, in Sussex county. Stacks of fodder, hay, oats, fences, &c., have been carried away with the current, and in some instances hogs and sheep which were caught unawares and drowned.

A Richmond correspondent of the Portsmouth Transcript states that Mr. A. G. Davis, one of the delegates from Monongalia County to the State Legislature, connected himself on the 31st instant, with the Roman Catholic Church.

Col. S. B. Jeter, a prominent citizen of Nottoway County, died suddenly on the 2d inst., in the 70th year of his age. He had served his country in the various capacities of Justice, Sheriff, Commissioner of the Revenue, &c., and was generally respected in the community.

M. Laouture and his son have been elected honorary members of the Merchants' and Mechanics' Exchange, at Norfolk.

Much excitement exists at Nickersville, Scott county, in consequence of a traveller having been attacked with small pox soon after his arrival in the neighborhood.

A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF

PUBLIC WORKS, March 24, 1858, at the request of the President of the Orange and Alexandria Railroad Company, it was—

Resolved, That a general meeting of the Stockholders of the above Company be called, to be held on Thursday, the 29th day of April next, at the city of Alexandria, for the consideration of the act passed the present session of the General Assembly, authorizing a loan to the Orange and Alexandria Railroad Company, and for other purposes.

True copy from the minutes

THOMAS H. DEWITT, Secretary B. P. W.

NOTICE.—MANASSAS GAP RAILROAD

COMPANY.—A general meeting of the Stockholders of the Manassas Gap Railroad Company, will be held in the city of Alexandria, on Wednesday, the 28th day of April, 1858. By order of the Board of Directors.

mh 29—eotE

NEW STORE NEAR THE DEPOT.—The

undersigned has this day (March 1st) associated themselves under the name and style of PAYNE, NEWBY & CO., for the purpose of conducting a general GROCERY, HARDWARE, DRY-GOODS, and PRODUCE BUSINESS, and are prepared to furnish dealers at moderate prices, for cash or Produce, and to buy Produce, Bacon, Lard, &c.

With a Railroad to our door, and ample Ware-house, Wagon yard, Platforms, &c., we invite a call from buyers and sellers.

INMAN H. PAYNE,

ROBT. C. NEWBY,

J. M. RICKETTS.

Warrenton, Va., mh 18—eotE

\$50 REWARD.—Runaway from the sub-